Proctor: Evidenced Based Treatment

According to the DHS/DCFS Contract, Part II. SectionVII. A. 3.,

Service Requirements

The Contractor shall provide diagnostic and rehabilitative mental health services for Clients in Division custody or Clients who were adopted after being in Division custody who are referred for services by the Division. The Contractor shall obtain written authorization from the Case Manager before services are provided, in accordance with the Division's PSA process. In addition to providing diagnostic and rehabilitative mental health services, the Contractor shall provide the following:

a. Evidence-Based or Evidence-Informed Treatment

The Contractor shall:

- (1) Provide a treatment regimen that is evidence-based treatment or evidence-informed treatment that has been previously approved in writing by the Division Director or approved through the bidding process of this contract. The treatment regimen shall be individualized based on the Client's age, diagnosis and circumstances. This includes, but is not limited to, addressing grief, loss, trauma, and criminogenic factors affecting the Client.
- (2) Maintain fidelity of the approved evidence-based or evidence-informed treatment program through monitoring the effectiveness of the program.
- (3) Maintain documentation of staff training received and/or skills in the evidence based treatment for which the Client will be engaged to restore the highest possible level of function.